

REMARKS

5 In the Official Action mailed on November 30, 2004, the Examiner allowed claims 19-38, rejected claims 1 – 10, and 13 – 17 and objected to claims 11 and 12.

In response, applicant has canceled claims 1 – 18. Claims 19 – 38 remain unchanged and in allowable form.

10 Applicant intends to provide formal drawings after receipt of the Notice of Allowance to replace the originally filed drawings which, although determined by the Examiner to be suitable for prosecution, are informal.

In view of the changes made to the claims of the subject patent application and in further view of the above discussion, applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the subject patent application and expeditious allowance of claims 19 – 38.

15 Respectfully Submitted,



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